COMBINED AMENDMENT & PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF **Docket No** TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) (Small Entity 13070-1 In Re Application Of: SHABAHANG, Shahrokh et al Serial No. Filing Date kaminer Group Art Unit 09/769,981 January 25, 2001 1645 Invention: Method for the Evaluation of Implantable Materials TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS: This is a combined amendment and petition under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of _______ in the above-identified application. Date The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired): ☐ One month ☑ Two months ☐ Three months ☐ Four months ☐ Five months November 7, 2003 from: until: January 7, 2003 Date Date A verified statement of small entity status as a small entity under 37 CFR 1.27: ☐ is enclosed. has already been filed in this application. The fee for the amendment and extension of time has been calculated as shown below: CLAIMS AS AMENDED **CLAIMS REMAINING** HIGHEST # NUMBER EXTRA **ADDITIONAL** RATE AFTER AMENDMENT PREV. PAID FOR **CLAIMS PRESENT** FEE **TOTAL CLAIMS** 22 22 0 Х \$9.00 \$0.00 INDEP. CLAIMS 2 3 0 X \$42.00 \$0.00 \$0.00 **FEE FOR AMENDMENT** FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME \$205.00 \$205.00 TOTAL FEE FOR AMENDMENT AND EXTENSION OF TIME 12/30/2003 SDENBOB1 00000004 192090 01 FC:2252 210.00 DA

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